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ORDER 12



**AMENDED ORDER GRANTING THIRD-PARTY PAYOR PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO
COMPEL, AND ORDER APPROVING THIRD-PARTY VENDOR**

The above-entitled matters were initially heard on March 6, 2007 on the Motions of the Plaintiffs for an order overruling Defendants' objections to the Interrogatories and Requests for Production of Documents – Sets I, separately served by the United Healthcare and Blue Cross Plaintiffs, and the Interrogatories and Requests for Production of Documents – Set II, served

jointly by the Plaintiffs, and compelling Defendants to produce documents and information responsive to these Interrogatories and Document Requests.

On April 20, 2007 this Court issued an order granting, in part, Plaintiffs' motions, and directed that Plaintiffs identify and submit for approval a vendor to oversee the disclosure of Defendant's discovery responses.

By letter dated March 9, 2007, Plaintiffs submitted information to the Court regarding the capabilities and experience of Complete Claim Solutions, Inc. ("CCS") as a third-party vendor. By letter dated May 25, 2007, Plaintiffs submitted CCS's written letter agreement dated May 24, 2007 to comply with and be bound by the Court's HIPAA Protective Order.

On June 18, 2007 this Court stated during a motions hearing that it would amend the April 20, 2007 Order in accordance with the arguments and agreements of the parties. The amendments are described below, as well as an order approving a third-party vendor.

This Court, having in mind the arguments of counsel, the applicable law, and all files and records herein, issues the following order.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Defendant shall provide all individually identifiable health information of patients contained in Defendant's responses to the Interrogatories and Requests for Production of Documents to the approved third-party vendor within thirty (30) days of today's date. This thirty-day limit amends the limit stated in paragraph 3 of the April 20, 2007 Order. Paragraph 6 of the April 20, 2007 Order states the specific documents and information that the third-party vendor shall receive.

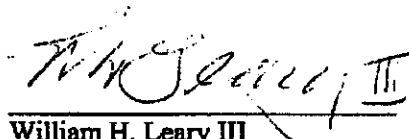
2. Defendant shall produce its responses to the Interrogatories and Requests for Production of Documents that do not contain individually identifiable health information of

patients to the Third-Party Payor Plaintiffs by Friday, June 21, 2007 at 4:30 p.m. These requirements amend the time limits and third-party vendor requirement of Paragraph 5 of the April 20, 2007 Order. Paragraph 5 of the April 20, 2007 Order states the specific documents and information that Third-Party Payor Plaintiffs shall receive.

3. All other language in the April 20, 2007 Order not amended by the above paragraphs shall remain in effect.

4. Complete Claim Solutions, Inc. is approved as the third-party vendor to whom individually identifiable health information will be produced by Defendants in accordance with the Court's April 20, 2007 Order (including amendments set forth in this order) granting, in part, Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel.

Dated: June 19, 2007



William H. Leary III
Judge of District Court